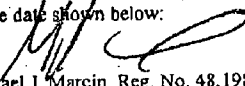


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Transmitted herewith please find an Amendment in response to the Final Office Action mailed on January 17, 2008 for filing in the above-identified application. Since the Response is being filed within two months of the Final Office Action mailing date, Applicants respectfully request that the USPTO's response be issued before the expiration of the three month period of the Final Office Action mailing date (i.e., by April 17, 2008). No fees are believed to be required. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional required fees to the Deposit Account of Fay Kaplun & Marcin, LLP No. 50-1492. A copy of this paper is enclosed for that purpose.

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In response to the Final Office Action mailed on January 17, 2008, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

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